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ASSESSMENT OF MEMBER STATES' CONTRIBUTIONS FOR THE FINANCING OF THE UNITED NATIONS TRANSITIONAL AUTHORITY IN CAMBODIA (UNTAC)

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I. BASIS OF ASSESSMENT OF MEMBER STATES' CONTRIBUTIONS TO UNTAC

A. Initial assessment

1. By its resolution 718 (1991) of 31 October 1991, the Security Council expressed its full support for the agreements on a comprehensive political settlement of the Cambodia conflict (Paris agreements), signed in Paris on 23 October 1991, which, inter alia, call for the establishment of a United Nations Transitional Authority in Cambodia (UNTAC). By its resolution 46/222 of 14 February 1992, the General Assembly decided to appropriate an amount of US$ 200 million to meet the initial, unavoidable requirements, as indicated in the reports of the Secretary-General and of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, to enable the Secretary-General to initiate the action necessary for a timely deployment of the United Nations Transitional Authority in Cambodia consistent with the eventual plan of implementation.

2. The amount so appropriated by the General Assembly was apportioned among Member States in accordance with the provisions laid out in section I.B. below and is shown in section III.

B. Apportionment of the costs of peace-keeping operations

3. On 11 December 1973, the General Assembly adopted resolution 3101 (XXVIII) on the financing of the United Nations Emergency Fund (UNEF II). Under the resolution, the membership of the United Nations was divided into four groups: (a) the States permanent members of the Security Council; (b) specifically named economically developed Member States that were not permanent members of the Security Council; (c) economically less developed Member States; and (d) economically less developed Member States that were specifically named. The resolution also specified the amounts of the total appropriation to be distributed among each of the four groups.

4. The four amounts specified in the resolution were established by a methodology intended to produce the following results: the Member States in group D would pay 10 per cent of the assessment rates established for the regular budget, those in group C would pay 20 per cent, those in group B would pay 100 per cent and those in group A would pay 100 per cent plus the amounts not otherwise apportioned.

5. Within each group, according to the terms of resolution 3101 (XXVIII), the amount appropriated was to be distributed among the respective group members on the basis of the relative weight of each group member's regular rate of assessment in relation to the total rate for the group.

6. The scheme for the apportionment of costs set out in resolution 3101 (XXVIII) has continued to be applied since that time for all peace-keeping operations financed through assessed contributions, including UNTAC. However, the composition of the four groups of Member States has

changed repeatedly since 1973 as a result of the admission of 33 new Member States, including 7 new Member States in 1991, and the decisions contained in the various General Assembly resolutions, the latest of which is resolution 43/232 of 1 March 1989, as adjusted by resolutions 44/192 B of 21 December 1989, 45/269 of 27 August 1991 and 46/198 of 20 December 1991. The percentage shares shown in section III below demonstrate the results of the application of the scheme, using the scale of assessments for the period 1992-1994, adopted by General Assembly resolution 46/221 A of 20 December 1991.

II. RECAPITULATION OF THE BASIS OF ASSESSMENT OF MEMBER STATES' CONTRIBUTIONS TO UNTAC

	US$
Gross amount assessed on Member States under resolution 46/222	200,000,000

III. ASSESSMENT OF MEMBER STATES FOR THE FINANCING OF UNTAC

	Regular budget scale 1992-1994 %	Percentage share resulting from application of scheme for apportionment of costs of assessed peace-keeping operations: Relative to group total a/ %	Percentage share resulting from application of scheme for apportionment of costs of assessed peace-keeping operations: Relative to grand total %	Gross assessment $
A. Member States referred to in paragraph 2 (a) of General Assembly resolution 43/232				
China	0.77	1.667	0.936	1,871,826
France	6.00	12.987	7.293	14,585,659
Russian Federation	9.41	20.368	11.437	22,875,175
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	5.02	10.866	6.102	12,203,334
United States of America	25.00	54.113	30.387	60,773,577
Subtotal	46.20	100.001	56.155	112,309,571
B. Member States referred to in paragragh 2 (b) of General Assembly resolution 43/232 and resolutions 44/192 B and 45/269				
Australia	1.51	3.645	1.510	3,019,396
Austria	0.75	1.810	0.750	1,499,700
Belarus	0.31	0.748	0.310	619,876
Belgium	1.06	2.559	1.060	2,119,576
Canada	3.11	7.507	3.109	6,218,756
Czechoslovakia	0.55	1.328	0.550	1,099,780
Denmark	0.65	1.569	0.650	1,299,740
Finland	0.57	1.376	0.570	1,139,772
Germany	8.93	21.554	8.928	17,856,429
Iceland	0.03	0.072	0.030	59,988
Ireland	0.18	0.434	0.180	359,928

	Regular budget scale 1992-1994 %	Percentage share resulting from application of scheme for apportionment of costs of assessed peace-keeping operations: Relative to group total a/ %	Relative to grand total %	Gross assessment $
Italy	4.29	10.355	4.289	8,578,285
Japan	12.45	30.051	12.447	24,895,021
Liechtenstein	0.01	0.024	0.010	19,996
Luxembourg	0.06	0.145	0.060	119,976
Netherlands	1.50	3.621	1.500	2,999,400
New Zealand	0.24	0.579	0.240	479,904
Norway	0.55	1.328	0.550	1,099,780
South Africa	0.41	0.990	0.410	819,836
Spain	1.98	4.779	1.979	3,959,208
Sweden	1.11	2.679	1.110	2,219,556
Ukraine	1.18	2.848	1.180	2,359,528
Subtotal	41.43	100.001	41.422	82,843,431
C. Member States referred to in paragraph 2 (c) of General Assembly resolution 43/232 and resolutions 44/192 B and 46/198				
Albania	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Algeria	0.16	1.350	0.032	63,987
Argentina	0.57	4.810	0.114	227,954
Bahamas	0.02	0.169	0.004	7,999
Bahrain	0.03	0.253	0.006	11,998
Barbados	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Bolivia	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Brazil	1.59	13.418	0.317	635,873
Brunei Darussalam	0.03	0.253	0.006	11,998
Bulgaria	0.13	1.097	0.026	51,990
Cambodia	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Cameroon	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Chile	0.08	0.675	0.016	31,994
Colombia	0.13	1.097	0.026	51,990
Congo	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Costa Rica	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Côte d'Ivoire	0.02	0.169	0.004	7,999
Cuba	0.09	0.759	0.018	35,993
Cyprus	0.02	0.169	0.004	7,999
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	0.05	0.422	0.010	19,996
Dominican Republic	0.02	0.169	0.004	7,999
Ecuador	0.03	0.253	0.006	11,998
Egypt	0.07	0.591	0.014	27,994
El Salvador	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999

	Regular budget scale 1992-1994 %	Percentage share resulting from application of scheme for apportionment of costs of assessed peace-keeping operations: Relative to group total a/ %	Relative to grand total %	Gross assessment $
Estonia b/	-	-	-	-
Fiji	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Gabon	0.02	0.169	0.004	7,999
Ghana	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Greece	0.35	2.954	0.070	139,972
Guatemala	0.02	0.169	0.004	7,999
Guyana	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Honduras	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Hungary	0.18	1.519	0.036	71,986
India	0.36	3.038	0.072	143,971
Indonesia	0.16	1.350	0.032	63,987
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	0.77	6.498	0.154	307,938
Iraq	0.13	1.097	0.026	51,990
Israel	0.23	1.941	0.046	91,982
Jamaica	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Jordan	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Kenya	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Kuwait	0.25	2.110	0.050	99,980
Latvia b/	-	-	-	-
Lebanon	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Liberia	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	0.24	2.025	0.048	95,981
Lithuania b/	-	-	-	-
Madagascar	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Malaysia	0.12	1.013	0.024	47,990
Malta	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Marshall Islands	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Mauritius	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Mexico	0.88	7.426	0.176	351,930
Micronesia (Federated States of)	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Mongolia	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Morocco	0.03	0.253	0.006	11,998
Nicaragua	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Nigeria	0.20	1.688	0.040	79,984
Oman	0.03	0.253	0.006	11,998
Pakistan	0.06	0.506	0.012	23,995
Panama	0.02	0.169	0.004	7,999
Paraguay	0.02	0.169	0.004	7,999
Peru	0.06	0.506	0.012	23,995
Philippines	0.07	0.591	0.014	27,994
Poland	0.47	3.966	0.094	187,962
Portugal	0.20	1.688	0.040	79,984
Qatar	0.05	0.422	0.010	19,996
Republic of Korea	0.69	5.823	0.138	275,945
Romania	0.17	1.435	0.034	67,986
Saudi Arabia	0.96	8.101	0.192	383,923
Singapore	0.12	1.013	0.024	47,990
Sri Lanka	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999

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Swaziland	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Syrian Arab Republic	0.04	0.338	0.008	15,997
Thailand	0.11	0.928	0.022	43,991
Trinidad and Tobago	0.05	0.422	0.010	19,996
Tunisia	0.03	0.253	0.006	11,998
Turkey	0.27	2.278	0.054	107,978
United Arab Emirates	0.21	1.772	0.042	83,983
Uruguay	0.04	0.338	0.008	15,997
Venezuela	0.49	4.135	0.098	195,961
Vietnam	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Yugoslavia	0.42	3.544	0.084	167,966
Zaire	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Zambia	0.01	0.084	0.002	3,999
Subtotal	11.85	99.990	2.369	4,739,052
D. Member States referred to in paragraph 2 (d) of General Assembly resolution 43/232 and resolutions 44/192 B and 45/269				
Afghanistan	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Angola	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Antigua and Barbuda	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Bangladesh	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Belize	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Benin	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Bhutan	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Botswana	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Burkina Faso	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Burundi	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Cape Verde	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Central African Republic	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Chad	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Comoros	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Djibouti	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Dominica	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Equatorial Guinea	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Ethiopia	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Gambia	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Grenada	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Guinea	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Guinea-Bissau	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Haiti	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999

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Lao People's Democratic Republic	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Lesotho	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Malawi	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Maldives	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Mali	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Mauritania	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Mozambique	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Myanmar	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Namibia	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Nepal	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Niger	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Papua New Guinea	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Rwanda	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Saint Kitts and Nevis	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Saint Lucia	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Samoa	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Sao Tome and Principe	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Senegal	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Seychelles	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Sierra Leone	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Solomon Islands	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Somalia	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Sudan	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Suriname	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Togo	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Uganda	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
United Republic of Tanzania	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Vanuatu	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Yemen	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Zimbabwe	0.01	1.852	0.001	1,999
Subtotal	0.54	100.008	0.054	107,946
Grand total	100.02		100.000	200,000,000

a/ Percentages are rounded to three decimals.

b/ As stated in General Assembly resolution 46/221 A, the assessment rates of Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania are to be determined by the Committee on Contributions during its fifty-second session. The assessment rates will be deducted from the assessment rate for the Russian Federation of 9.41 per cent.